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In re the Application of:

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For: METHOD FOR PREVENTING SEISMIC LIQUEFACTION OF GROUND IN URBANIZED AREA AND FACILITIES USED IN THIS METHOD

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment Under Rule 1.111 and Petition for Extension of Time** for filing in the above-captioned patent application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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